Universal Hood

Installation Instructions

Models:

AH3244BK (Black)

The AH3244 Universal Hood is designed for use on all factory-built and masonry fireplaces with front openings from 32” to 44” wide. For use on fireplaces equipped with Majestic VL21 or VL21LP Vent-Free Gas Log Heaters.

NOTE: Glass doors, if installed on your fireplace, must be removed to install the hood and cannot be used with a vent free appliance.

Tools required:

- Power drill
- 9/64” drill bit
- Screwdriver

Check Contents of Shipping Carton

Compare contents of carton in Figure 1 with actual parts received. If any parts are missing or damaged contact your dealer before starting installation.

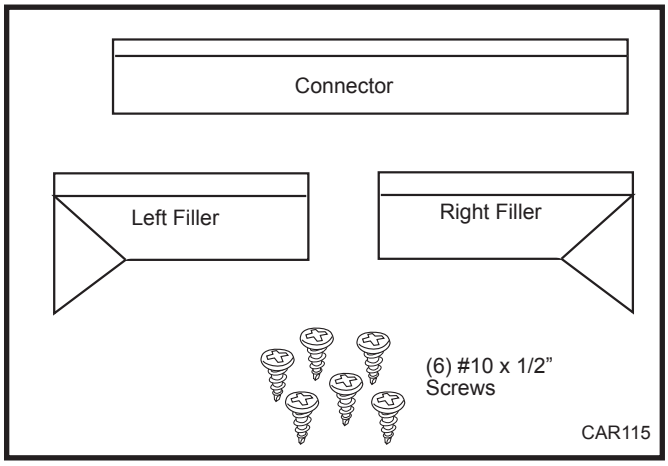

Fig. 1 Carton Contents.

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Figure 2 shows the AH3244 Universal Hood installed on a typical factory-built fireplace.

A. Factory-built Fireplace

1. Adjust hood to fit fireplace opening. (For best appearance, left and right fillers should extend equally from connector.)
2. Remove glass doors and frame assembly or upper door track.

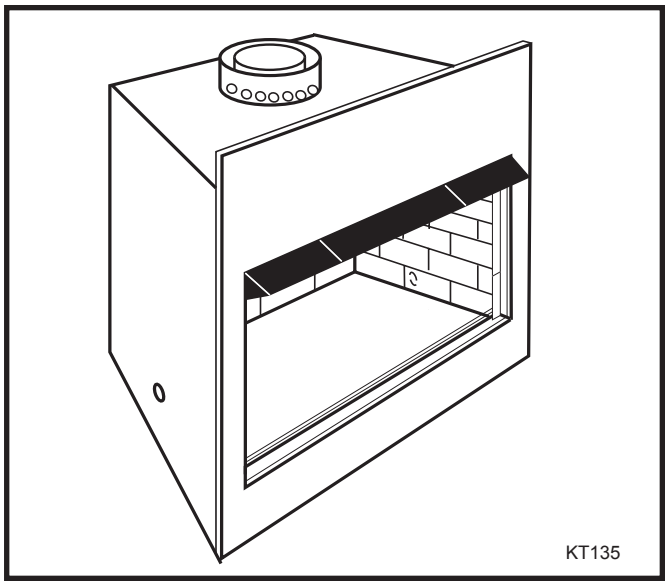

Fig. 2 Hood installed.

3. **If upper door track has been removed,** hold adjustable hood in position with front of vertical projection flush with front face of fireplace. (Fig. 3)

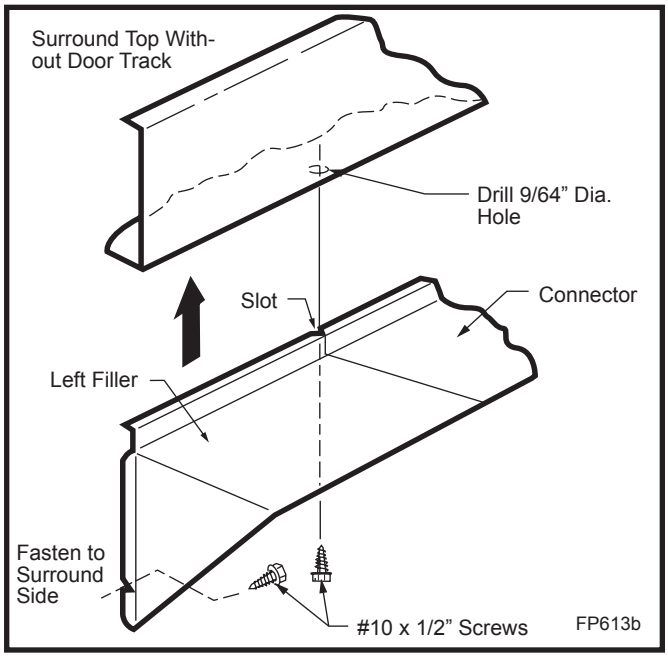

Fig. 3 Hood positioning (no door track).

4. Drill 9/64” holes thru upper panel, using slots in top of vertical hood projection for guides. (Fig. 3)
5. Remove any existing screws which interfere with flush fit of hood to surround top.
6. Attach hood to surround top with #10 x 1/2” self-tapping screws, provided.
7. **If upper door track remains,** slide vertical projection of hood into door track and drill 9/64” holes thru track and front panel using slots in top of vertical hood projection for guides. (Fig. 4) Attach hood with #10 x 1/2” screws provided.
8. Drill 9/64” holes in surround sides of fireplace and attach filler sides with #10 x 1/2” screws. (Fig. 3)

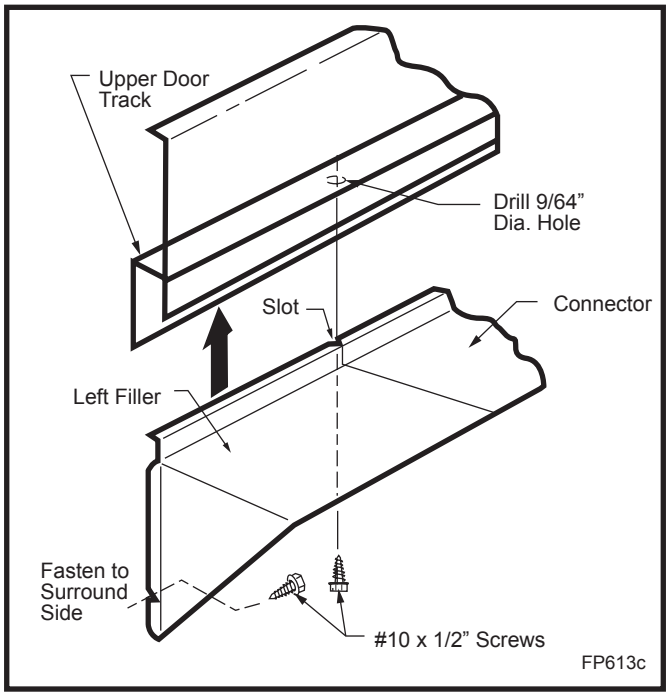

Fig. 4 Hood positioning (upper door track remains).

B. Masonry Fireplaces

Hood installation in masonry fireplace is similar to installation in factory-built fireplaces with no door track.

1. Remove glass door assembly if one is fitted to the fireplace.
2. Adjust hood to fit fireplace opening.
3. Hold hood in position and mark lintel using slots for guides.
4. Drill 9/64” holes thru lintel at marked locations. (Fig. 5) **NOTE:** Steel lintel is more difficult to drill than sheet metal. Two or three screws are sufficient to hold hood in place.
5. Attach hood to lintel with #10 x 1/2” screws provided. **NOTE:** It may be easier to attach hood to lintel with pop-rivets. In this case, enlarge holes to 1/8” and attach hood to lintel with 1/8” x 1/2” pop-rivets (not provided).
6. Drill side attachment holes in brick with masonry drill and attach hood to brick with suitable masonry anchors. (Not provided)

CAUTION: If you have a polished brass hood, remove the protective covering before lighting log set.

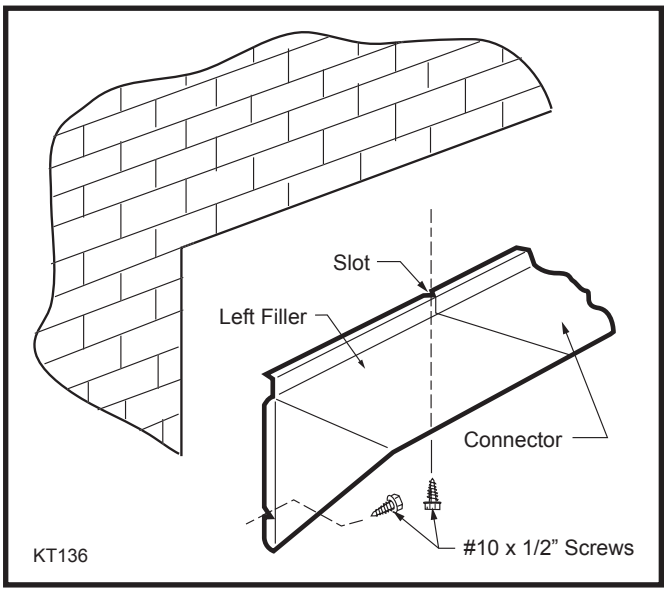

Fig. 5 Hood positioning in masonry fireplace.

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